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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: NEW ZEALAND If applicable, name of local government involved: 2. **Agency responsible:** Ministry for Primary Industries 3. Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, where applicable): Prunus plants for planting 4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: [X] All trading partners [] **Specific regions or countries:** 5. Title of the notified document: Import Health Standard: Prunus plants for planting Language(s): English Number of pages: 28 6. Description of content: The import health standard contains specific import requirements. These are the rules to manage the biosecurity risk associated with regulated pests that may be imported into New Zealand in association with Prunus plants for planting. 7. Objective and rationale: [] food safety, [] animal health, [X] plant protection, [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests. 8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard: Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text) World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number) [X] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number) Various ISPMs as listed in the IHS: ISPM 4: Requirements for the establishment of pest free areas ISPM 5: Glossary of phytosanitary terms ISPM 7: Phytosanitary certification system ISPM 8: Determination of pest status in an area ISPM 10: Requirements for the establishment of pest free places of production and pest free production sites ISPM 12: Phytosanitary certificates ISPM 23: Guidelines for Inspection

- ISPM 24: Guidelines for the determination and recognition of equivalence of phytosanitary measures
- ISPM 27. Diagnostic protocols for regulated pests. Rome, IPPC, FAO
- ISPM 36: Integrated measures for plants for planting.
 - [] None

Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? [X] Yes [] No

If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:

- 9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:
 - Risk management proposal for Prunus Plants for Planting
 - Draft Import Risk Analysis for *Prunus* plants for planting (Cuttings and tissue culture)

All documents are available in English.

- Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 30/09/19 Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 30/09/19
- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 30/09/19
 - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 27/08/2019

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